COMMERCIAL.

Monetary. MONEY -We are yet unable to report any ease in our money market, though in consequence of a less pressing demand, there is not as much inconvenience, and no advance in street rates. The Eanks are discounting very moderstely, and with great caution. They are making active preparation for resumption on the 1st proximo. No. 1 paper, of which but little ands its way to the street, is negotiable at 1@13 e cent, while second class goes with difficulty at 11/22 e cent. e month.

STOCKS are inactive but firm. Prices of Virginia 6's in New York are again looking up, with sales on Thursday at 912. In local stocks there are very few transactions. We quote Orange and Alexandria Railroad bonds at \$66. Manassas Gap bonds at \$51@\$52. Bank of the Old Dominion par. Corporation \$82@83.

EXCHANGE -There is a moderate demand, and a still further decline. The near approach of the time for the resumption of specie payment by our Banks is having a favorable influence on Eastern Exchange. We quote drafts on New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore at

11/211 premium. For some time past, it will have been noticed that Exchange on London has been quoted at 107 to 108, or 1 to 2 p cent discount, and although few persons, outside of foreign trading and Banking circles comprehend the full import of the announcement, or pay any regard to it, yet the fact is of the greatest importance to the whole country, showing, as it does, that England, for so long a time our creditor, for a large 23 Friday... 5 21 6 39 April 17 9h 58m amount, is at this time our debtor, and should the present retrenchment in the consumption of foreign merchandize continue, must soon become largely indebted. We find in this week's number of "Harper's Weekly" a succinct but very clear explanation of Exchange between this country and Great Britain, which we quote: "The par of Exchange between the United States and Great Britain is 109; that is, when bills on England can be bought for 109, there is no current of money flowing either way. When we are debtors of England-as we usually are, England being the banker for France, Germany, South America, China, and almost all our foreign customers-Exchange on London rules above par, at some rate between 109 and 111. When, on the contrary, we are not debtors, but creditors of the foreign world-Exchange on London fells below par, that is below 109."-According to this explanation, therefore, we are out of debt and laying up a balance to our cre-

LAND WARRANTS are in better request, at a slight advance. We quote last New York rates as follows: 160 acres 87@89c; 120's 83@85c.; 80's 88@90c.; 40's 100@105c. PRICES OF PRODUCE IN ALEXANDRIA.

FROM CARS, VESSELS, AND WAGONS, (YESTERDAY)

dit in London, a fact when will be gratifying

WHEAT, white 1 00 @ 1 07 Do red...... 90 @ 1 05 CORN, (white.)...... 58 @ Cons. (mixed.)...... 0 58 @ OATS...... 0 32 @ 0 00 RYE...... 0 65 @ 0 00 CLOVER SEED, (retail) 5 121 @ 5 25 PLASTER, (lump, retail, delivered on cars,)...... 4 50 @ BUTTER, roll, . 15 18 @ 0 20 Do firkin...... 121 @ 0 15 Bacen, hog round 9 50 @ 10 50 Ровк...... 6 00 @ 6 50 LARD. (in kegs) 0 10 @ 0 00

HAY, (p 100 lbs.)...... 62} @ 0 75 The offerings on 'Change during the week have been light, and the market dull. Flour has been in fair demand for city trade, but the export demand has been light. Quotations have been unchanged. The offerings of Wheat have been of an inferior quality, and correct quotations for good could not be given; last sales of JAMES DORRANCE. white and red at 103c. Corn has been in very active enquiry, and the receipts are increasing. Sales vesterday of 3,000 bushels white at 58@ 60c. Yellow in large lots may be quoted at 60 @62c. Last sales of Rye at 65c., and Oats at 32c. Guano is in moderate demand, but the sales yet are light. Quetations unchanged -Plaster is in good request at above quotations

BLACK-ETED PEAS...... 1 00 @ 0 00

Seeds are unchanged. Alexandria Fish Market, April 16. The arriva's of Shad and Herring are on the increase, but the receipts are far short of the demand, which is very great. Sales of Shad at \$12 p hundred; Herring \$10@\$11 p thousand.

The Markets.

BALTIMORE, April 16 .- Flour is steady; Howard street \$4 375; Ohio \$4 25; City Mills nominal. Wheat is steady; red 103@106c; white 112@128c. Corn is lower; mixed and white 63 @67c., yellow, 65@69c. Whiskey is steady, at 21@211c. Provisions closed with an advancing

NEW YORK, April 16 .- Flour is heavy; sales of 7,000 bbls.; State \$4.05@\$4.15; Ohio \$4.50 @\$4.65; Southern \$4 50@\$4.80. Wheat is de- of the County Court of Fauquier County. clining; sales of 75,000 bush.; Chicago Spring 95c. Western red 115c. Corn is buoyant; sales of 18.000 bushels; white 73@75c.; yellow 77@78c. Pork is higher-Mess \$17.65@\$17. 75. Prime \$14,40. Lard is buoyant, closing at 101@11c. Whiskey is steady at 21@22c., for

Baltimore Cattle Market, April 15. CATTLE -We have no material change to note since last week in the rates for Beef Cattle. There were 575 head offered at the scales, 50 of which were driven away, 30 were left over unsold, and the remaining 495 head were taken up by Baltimore butchers at prices ranging from \$3.50 to \$5.25 on the hoof, equal to \$7@\$9 50 net, and averaging \$4 37½ gross. The average rate this week is 12½ cts. \$\omega\$ 100 lbs. less than the

average of last week. Hogs.-We continue to quote Hogs at \$7@7. 50 p 100 hs. net. The supply continues mod-

SHEEP .- Sheep are scarce, and prices are higher. We quote them to day at \$4@\$5.50 p 100

Sales of Stock.

At C. W Purcell & Co's., regular sale in Richmond, on Thursday, 15th inst., stocks sold at the following prices: Virginia State Stock at \$91 and interest.

Orange and Alexandria Railroad Bonds at 634@634 and interest. Richmond and Danville Railroad Stock at

Virginia Central Railroad Bonds at @701 and Virginia Bank Stock at \$723. James River and Kanawha Company Guar-

New York Cattle Market, April 14. Cattle, owing principally to the increase in number, fell 1 to 1 cent w pound. The yards were in a muck; the quality of the stock generally was pretty good, but some of them were so bespattered with mud that they looked unsightly. The Hudson River Railroad now charge for transportation 50 cts. > head for cattle; propellers, 37 cts.; and barges, 25 cts.

The New York Post of yesterday says: "There is but little news stirring in the street to-day. The foreign news to hand yesterday is not calculated, taken as a whole, to impart a fresh impetus to business. A little political uneasiness is perceptible. The commercial intelligence particularly, is not very tavorable to an increase in the export trade, breadstuffs being exceedingly depressed. Cotton was also

The dealings at the Stock Exchange to-day in the leading speculative shares, were upon a less active scale. The tendency of the market was decidedly downward at the opening, and until the close of the session the bears had more or less advantage.

The Persia, on Wednesday, for Europe, took only \$6,679 in specie. Most of the gold by the California steamer deposited in the Assay office, has been ordered into bars. About one half of the amount by the previous steamer was ordered into coin

ALMANAC.							
1858. APRIL.				SUN sets.		Moon's Phases.	
17	Saturday	5	28	6	35	D.	н. м.
	Sunday	5	26	6	34	First qr20	9 16 м
	Menday					Fuil 27	
	Tuesday	5	24	6	36	Last qr. 6	1 30 M
	Wednesday	5	23	6	37	New13	2 37 M
	Thursday					HIGH WATER	

LATEST DATES. MARINE LIST.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA-APRIL 16. ARRIVED.

Schr. Caroline, Hatton, Hatton's Point, wheat, to Washington & Co. Pomunkey, cor Schr. A. Jackson. and wheat to Washington & Co. Schr. Sarah Catharine, Hattis, Farmington corn and wheat to Washington & Co.

SAILED. Schr. Matthew Vassor, Crapo, Boston, coal by Frostburg Coal Company.
Schr. Anna B. Hayne, Robertson, Trenton, coal by T. J. Mehaffey. Schr. Sarah Jones, Jones, Dighton, coal by

Borden Mining Company Schr. Frederick, Reed, Blackford, Bath, Maine coal by T. J. Mehaffey Schr. G. S. King, Andrews, Philadelphia, by

Schr. H. & J. Neild, Jones, Baltimore, by Master.

Schr. Henry P. Simmons, Barrett, for this port, sailed from Providence, 13th. Schr. Minerva, Winslow, from this port, ar-

rived at New York, 14th. Schr. Beacon, (of Ph ladelphia.) Smith, from North Carolina, bound to Georgtown, D. C., was run into by a steamer off the Rappahannock river and sunk

At a meeting of the RELIEF FIRE OMPANY, held in their Hall, on Thursday evening, the 15th inst., for the purpose of conidering the late Law passed by the City Councils, the following resolutions were unanimously

adopted Resolved, That a committee of three, consisting of Stephen Shinn, W. H Lambert, and John W. Green, be appointed to confer with any other committee that may be appointed by the different Fire Companies of the city, in reference to the late Law of the City Councils, and any other matters that may be deemed of interest to the Fire Department of the city. Resolved, That this Company take no further

action on the aforesaid Law, until after the Committees of the different Fire Companies have met Reso ved, That the proceedings of this meet

ing be published in the city papers. JAS. E. GREEN, Sec'y. ap 16-1t

SAVE YOUR HORSES .- "We take MUSTANG LINIMENT as a valuable and indispensable article for Sprains, Sores, Scratches, or Galls on Horses. Our men have used it for severe Burns, Bruises, Sores, Stiff Joints, and Rheumatic Pains, and all say it acts like magic. We used no other Liniment J W. HEWITT, Foreman for American, Harnden's and Wells

Fargo & Co.'s Express." Gentlemen :- "I had a negro man worth \$1. I could hear of without benefit, until I trie cured him, and I can now take the above price

Every Planter, Teamster, and Family should have this invaluable article. Sold by all respectable dealers everywhere.

BARNES & PARK, Proprietors. New York, ap 17-eolm

To the Voters of Fauquier County-FELLOW CITIZENS :- By the solicitation of many friends, I have consented to become a candidate for the office of Commissioner of the Revenue in the Northeastern District. In offering myself for that important office. I do not seek it an office of honor, but only in a pecuniary point; and should it be the choice of the people to elect me, I will try to discharge the duties of the office efficiently and satisfactorily.

JOHN T. KEYS.

Salem, Fauquier county, feb 5-eot E TO THE VOTERS OF FAUQUIER COUNTY .-Fellow CITIZENS :- I am before you as a candidate for the Commissioner of the Revenue, for

the North Eastern District and respectfully ask JAMES ROWZEE. your support. Fauquier, nov 19-eotf JOHN AMBLER respectfully announces him-

self as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the County Court of Fauquier. Markham Station, Fauquier Co., jan 8-eotE We are authorized to announce WM.

H. JENNINGS, for re-election to the office of Clerk mh 13-eotE FOR NEW YORK .- The regular pack-

et Schr. STATESMAN, Wicks, Master, will sail to-day, and can take any light freight that may offer. Apply to S. SHINN, to the Legislature of ill health. FOR BALTIMORE.—The steamer FOR BALTIMORE.—The steamer DIAMOND STATE, will receive car-

go for Baltimore, on Saturday, leaving at 3 o'clock, P. M. WHEAT & BRO., Agents. ap 16-2t

FOR SALE. -A good CART, with iron axles; also, a good DRAY, an excellent wahogany double desk, and a lot of second hand places, as may be allowed by the Superintendent J. C. NEVETT. boards. Apply to ap 17--3t

DULVERIZED BONES .- I am daily expecting a small invoice of this article, warrened equal to any in the country, which I offer for sale at market rates.

J. C. NEVETT,

Duke street Wharf.

LIVERPOOL SALT. 5000 SACKS GROUND ALUM SALT. In store, and for sale, by FOWLE & CO.

FOR SALE. 172.000 CYPRESS SHINGLES— tine Holley, now landing on the Foundry Wharf, mh 30—eo7t SMOOT, UHLER & CO.

TOTICE .- I caution all persons from harboring my wife, ANN M. BELL, or crediting her on my account, as I will pay no debts By Yesterday Evening's Mails.

FAIRFAX ITEMS .- We learn that the growng crops in this county are very promising. Tue Wheat and Rye in this neighborhood have been greatly improved by the recent

We are deeply pained to learn that our dis appropriations. tinguished fellow-citizen, Com. Thos. Ap. C. Jones, is again exceedingly ill at his residence in this county. The April Term of our County Court lands to improve the navigation of the Des

will be held on Monday, the 19th inst -- Moines river, in Iowa; one asking a repeal of The following Magistrates will constitute the the duty on sugar; and one asking an appro-

J. C. Gunnell, P. J.; T. J. Suddath, Frs. railroad around the rapids of the Des Moines E. Johnson, and Geo. H. Padgett, Associates. river -- all referred. Our young friend, Mr. Wm. E. Ford, of

this county, returned last week in good the Committee on the Judiciary to inquire down the river. health and spirits from a tour through Ken- ito the expediency of reorganizing the Crimtucky, Misouri and Kansas. His opinion is ital Court of the District of Columbia; agreed that "Kansas" is very considerable of a "humbug," there is but little timber to be seen, except in those sections of the Territory belonging to the Indians. The Free-State party out-number the pro-slaveryites, judging lumbia of persons accused of violations of from his personal observations, about ten to one. He was delighted with Kentucky and Missouri .- Fairfax News.

INQUEST .- A Coroner's Jury was empannelled yesterday at 1 o'clock, to investigate the charge brought against the Captain and mates of the bark Octavia, of this port, of baving caused the death of Wm. Ennis, a seaman, by flogging and cruel treatment. Several witnesses were examined, and, after a prolonged and careful scrutiny, the jury rendered a verdict that the deceased came to his death by starvation and bad treatment inflicted by the Captain and two mates.

A Portuguese seamen was also so cruelly flogged as to be now incapable of motion. He has been sent to the Medical College Hospital for treatment .- Richmond

STRAWBERRIES .- We were favored, this morning, with some specimens of homegrown, open air cultivated strawberries, from the garden of a friend in the Fourth District, in this city. We hardly dare to give an exact description of this truit, for fear of being thought, by some of our Down-East friends, to be unduly boasting and exaggeratingperhaps aggravating. But at this risk we will venture to say that we took one of these strawberries, and measuring it, found its cir- on had been positively traced to her hands comference to be exactly three and a half oches. As to the fragrance and the flavor to nostril and palate, we have nothing to say. We can give no idea of them through the medium of words .-- New Orleans Pic. of 10th.

The New Orleans Picayune announces to the sporting world that a match race for \$10,-000 a side, \$2,500 forfeit, four miles heats, still continued in a precarious condition .has been made between Gen. Thos. J. Wella's The mystery of the case has excited an inch. c. Starke, by Wagner, out of Reel, and tense interest in Burlington, and crowds of Mr. D. F. Kenner's ch. c. Viceroy, (own anxious inquirers thronged the premises dubrother to Voucher,) by Wagner, out of im- ring the height of the attack .- Treaton Gaz. ported Britannia, to be run over the Metairie Course, on the Saturday preceding the regular spring meeting, 1858. This will doubt less be the great sporting event of the next year, and will bring unnumbered and innumberable thousands to witness the race.

FINE CATTLE .- Maj. John P. Brock, of this county, recently sold eleven cattle to John Hoover, of Washington city, which weighed as follows: 1985, 1876, 1982, 1718, 1900, 1863, 1924, 1883, 1748, 1677, 1644, gross. They were raised, grazed and fattened in this county, were of the Durham stock. They were sold for \$6,00 a bundred, gross .- Rockingham Register.

Independent line, is, we are authorized to say, utterly without foundation. The appro- smoke house, &c. &c. The garden is enclosed priation is to be applied to the extension of the road in this direction .- Rockingham Reg. The house containing bath fixtures, with hot

EMIGRATION -Isaac Harrison, a respected citizen of Milidale, Warren county, left in the cars Wednesday morning for a visit of seve-200 who took cold from a bad hurt, and was ral weeks to Illinois and Missouri. Several useless for over one year; I had used everything excellent families of Clarke county, the Bowens and others, were to leave this week for the MUSTANG LINIMENT. It has perfectly permanent settlement in Missouri .- Winchester Republican.

> Two brick tenements, owned by Mr. Wm. Bosher, on Marshall street, near the corner of 6th in Richmond, on Thursday, were partially destroyed by fire. They were occupied as boarding houses, by Mrs. Landrum and Mrs. Elam. Loss about \$2,000.

> The Culpeper Observer says;-"We noticed at the Depot on Saturday last, eleven Hogsheads and one large box of Tobacco raised by our friend, Capt. Wm. Walden, of Rappahannock County.

Naval Intelligence. The following Midshipmen have been re-

cently examined at Annapolis for promotion, and passed in the order in which they are named, viz:

No 1, Philip Porcher; No. 2, Alfred Hopkins; No. 3, Montgowery Secord; No. 4, Edward O. Matthews; No. 5, T. McK. Buchanan; No. 6, George E. Law; No. 7, Edward P. Lull; No. 8, Edward Lea; No. 9, Alexander F. Crossman; No. 10, Charles S. Norton; No. 11, Hamilton H. Dalton .- Wash. Star.

The latest dates from Bermuda report considerable injury to the potato crop in exposed parts of the Island, from a recent heavy Southerly gale. The quantity of that esculent planted this year does not equal that of last year.

Mr. W. S. Stephens, one of the Delegates to the Legislature from Rockingbam County,

NOTICE—All persons are hereby notified and forbidden from throwing or otherwise depositing in any of the streets, public lanes or alleys, within the corporate limits of the City of Alexandria, any rubbish, litter, or dirt, and suffering the same to remain for more than 24 hours, except in such quantities and in such of Police. They are also notified to keep clean the gutters in front of their houses as required by law. S. BEACH, Contractor, by direc-

tion of J. C. Moore, Supt. of Police. PORTLAND SUGAR AND SYRUP

200 BBLS. H. B. PORTLAND SYRUP 125 bbls. Yellow do. SUGAR SUGAR 75 " A. A. do. do We are constantly receiving supplies of the above SUGARS and SYRUP, which we offer to the trade at Manufacturer's prices.

FOWLE & CO, Agents Portland Sugar Co. OTICE.—Stolen from my Stable, on Sun-day night, April 4th, a BAY MARE, about sixteen hands high, with a white spot on each side of the neck, supposed to be made by the collar, Any person who will return her to me in Salem, Fauquier County, will be amply W. D. MADDUX.

rewarded. Mercer Potatoes afloat, and for sale by

C. F. SUTTLE & CO.

In the Senate, yesterday, the Chair submitted three communications from the War Department, relative to improvements in California, which were referred.

among them one asking to revert a grant of

Mr. Clark called up the bill providing for

the arrest and return to the District of Co-

law, who have escaped beyond the jurisdic-

was taken up and several bills disposed of.

Family Potsoned.

given to them a large slice of cake, which she

had obtained from an acquaintance, and that

all who had partaken of it were made sick

while those members of the family who had

brought to Burlington to answer. No pois-

nor had any motive been detected to justify

the supposition that she would have adminis-

Saturday up to Monday evening, the whole

five patients were undergoing intense suffer

ing, the symptoms to some extent indicating

the presence of strychnine. Last night four

and cold water in bath room and kitchen.

BUSH HILL lies four miles from Alexan

ton, and three from the Theological Seminary

The garden and grounds are very highly im-

proved, and there are time apple and peach or-

chards on the place, and all the summer truits

ONE HUNDRED ACRES of arable land, in-

of the late General Hunter, now the residence

of Bushrod Hunter, esq, and is susceptible of

No. 3. A HOUSE and LOT, on Prince street, Alexandria, erected in the year 1853,

containing twelve rooms, with gas throughout

the house, hot and cold water in the kitchen and

No. 4. A small BRICK TENEMENT.

on an alley, on Pitt street, and adjoining

No. 5. A ground rent on a lot on King street,

owned by Wm. Price and J. H. Devaughn, of

No. 6. A row of FRAME HOUSES, on Washington street, on the square next

portn of the Cotton Factory; also, part of the

Persons disposed to purchase any or all of the

CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES!

HAVE now on hand a large assortment of

Pleasure and FAMILY CARRIAGES, and

no person intending to purchase a Carriage this

suitable for town or country.

THOMAS YOUNG,

TOTICE .- The undersigned bave this day

associated themselves in business, for the purpose of doing HOUSE, SIGN, and ORNA-MENTAL PAINTING, and will be glad to

see their old friends, at No. 77, Prince street, op

posite the Gazette Office. They pledge themselves

to execute all work entrusted to them in the

very best manner, and on the most accommoda-

TOTICE.-The subscriber, having purchas-

Goods and interest in the STOVE and TIN BUSI-

NESS, is prepared to execute, with promptness,

all orders for Plain and Japanned TIN WARE,

or other work in his line. He will also keep

ed of A. L. Gregory his entire Stock of

RODGERS & WILLIAMS.

No. 77, Prince-street.

Washington, ap 13-eo2m

VIRGINIA SCOTT,

Executrix

same square, east of said row of houses.

This contains two rooms only.

No. 6. A row of FRAME HOUSES.

No. 3. A HOUSE AND LOT, on Prince

tully improved place.

\$120 per annum.

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spring of excellent water near the house.

out injury.

County, Virginia.

tion of the District officers; passed.

and several bills disposed of.

THE FISHERIES .-- We have more favorable reports from some of the lower landings. It is said that large hauls of Herring were made at White Point, the lowest landing on the river, on Wednesday. Also that some Mr. Hunter reported a bill making certain large hauls of Shad were made the same day, Mr. Iverson presented several private bills.

Mr. Hamlin presented several memorials, The Washington Star says:-"At Hunter's Landing, Jackson City, the proprietor has caught, within the last five days, 3,733 shad of the finest quality, and 10,400 herring. These fish were all disposed of to the Washington bucksters at fair prices. Mr. priotion of money to build a double track Hunter has thus far this season been very successful with his operations at this point, even more so than many propriets of what are considered better tishing grounds farther Mr. Wilson offered a resolution directing

Appende Ball -Louis Heetig, who was arrested to Washington on the charge of outrage in this city, on Sunday, the 4th inst. enterprise. was examined by the Mayor of this city, yesterday afternoon, and held to bail in the sum of \$600, for his appearence at the next term of the County Court, to answer the charge of The private calendar was then taken up

OVERBOARD .- A little son of Captain Bai-In the House of Representatives, in Comley, fell overboard yesterday afternoon, at mittee of the Whole, the private calendar the Fish Wharf, but was rescued from drowning by Mr. Lemuel Cook, who leaped over and caught the little fellow as he was siok-On Saturday morning last a colored man. residing in Pearl street, Burlington, was sud-

deply seized with a violent burning sensation At a Convention of the "Democratic and in the stomach, accompanied with violent Anti-Know Nothing" party of Washington convulsions. In one hour, two other memcity, held on the 15th inst., Mr. James G. bers of his family were attacked in the same way and before night two additional mem-Berrett was nominated as their candidate for bers were seized with pains and convulsions. Mayor. Mr. B. was lately Postmaster in the There were five adults in the same house, all ill at the same time. On inquiry it was city. ascertained that a young colored woman, an acquaintance of the family, had on Friday

for the last quarter, have been rendered to the Post Office Department, and show the not touched it escaped unbarmed. Further off of \$61 from the corresponding quarter of Mobile 71d., middling 62d.; fair Uplands 7d., inquiry showed that the family where the cake had been baked had all eaten of it with-

The weather has been cold and rainy The perpetrator was sent for. She was for several days past.

WASHINGTON ITEMS .-- MURDER TRIALS .--The trial of John Essex for killing Owen tered it. Yet her antecedents are by no means Quigley, on Pennsylvania avenue, at the corof a ravorable character. Meantime, from ner of 9th street, on the day after the municipal election in 1856, is set down to commence on Monday next.

The trial of Benjamin Ogle for killing of them had nearly recovered and the fifth ohn Webb (the jury having disagreed at the former trial) is set down to commence on this Saturday week, the 24th instant.

THE OUTRAGE .- Yesterday, Victorie Fuglemann, a German woman, about thirty years of age, testified before Justice Donn that the ALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN ALEXparty of Germans arrested made her leave ANDRIA, VIRGINIA, AND THE AD-ACENT COUNTIES THERETO, FOR SALE. the highway, and took her into the woods. where they stripped her of her clothing, and -The subscriber, with a view to the settlement ten of them successively committed an outof the estate, and the education of her children rage, one standing over her with a loaded will sell at private sale, the following FARMS pistol, threatening to kill ber if she offered AND HOUSES, formerly in possession of, and owned by the late Richard M. Scott, of Fairfax resistance. She had known some of the party in Baltimore, and positively identified No. 1. The farm called "BUSH HILL," in five, who were fully committed for trial .-Fairfax County, containing FIVE HUNDRED Three others were identified by her and com-AND FORTY ACRES, more or less, one halt of mitted as accessories, and the remaining five which is in wood, oak, chesnut, and hickory. were discharged. The first five, if convic-Th s property is well known as the residence of ted, are liable to a punishment of not less highly cultivated, and possesses great advanthan ten nor more than thirty years, and tages as a country residence, being contiguous there is a generally-expressed desire that no Manassas Gap Railroad.—The report, industribusly circulated in some quarters, that the recent appropriation to the Manassa Gap to a good market, and with a Railroad passing through it. The improvements consist of a tween the perpetrators of such a heinous tween the perpetrators of such a heinous tween the perpetrators of the law. The containing twelve rooms; also, a brick three others of the party who escaped the harm a frame grapary, log corn house, cow Washington officers were arrested about four barn, a frame granary, log corn house, cow Washington officers were arrested about four reat pleasure in recommending the MEXICAN Railroad, is to be applied to the work on the and sheep shelters, Overseers' houses, negro miles from Baltimore by the police of that quart rs. dairy, blacksmith shop, ice bouse, city, to whom a telegraphic description of them had been sent by Justice Donn. They were committed to jail to await a requisition with a substautial wire fence, and iron gates from the authorities here.

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION .- The library, which is in the western portion of the builddria, Va., ten miles from the city of Washinging, has been refitted, and the scientific works so classified and arranged by countries as to make them easily accessible for consultation. In this department the library at the growing in the garden, and a never failing Smithsonian is probably the best in Amerien, and it is to be regretted that such valuable No. 2. A farm lying in Alexandria County, Va. known as "WATERLOO," containing works are almost crowded from the shelves by the copyright and too often worthless trash which the Institution is forced to re- in Mercantile Library Hall, which was apdependent of some low lands on the river. On ceive. The cases in the hall of the museum this place is a small log house, corn house, and stable, with good fencing This farm lies on the Turupike and Kailroad from Washington of natural history are completed, and will to Alexandria, immediately adjoining the lands

soon be filled with a collection of great value. THE CANAL -- Business is brisk on the Canal, although navigation has been impeded high improvement, as is shown by that beauti- by several small breaks. It is stated that during the first half of the present month 95 boats have arrived at Georgetown: 41 Fom Cumberland, bringing 4.715 tons of coal, and the remainder from different points and the streets densely crowded with thouwith flur, grain, wood, lime, stone, &c. The sands of spectators. receipts of tolls at the Georgetown collector's office for the same period amount to \$3,207. A large fleet of boats from Cumberland, laden with coal, are now on their way down.

THE ODD FELLOWS in this District prorose celebrating the 25th of May by a procession. an oration at the Smithsonian Institution by Wm. H. Young, D. G. M., of Maryland, a dinner, and in the evening a Promenade Concert at the ball of the order in Seventh

No. 7. Halt square of ground, on Washing-ton street, north of the lot known as the "Ca-THE WASHINGTON ROWDIES who accompanied the Franklin Fire Company to Alexanabove named property, will be pleased to call on Peter E. Hoffman, esq., Exchange Bank, Alexdria, and committed disorderly acts, are indria; Richard Smith, esq . Bank of the Metroabout to suffer the penalty of their misconpolis; J. S. Gunnell, 397 20th street, Washingduct. The reward offered by the Alexanton; when the terms will be made known, or on drians has stimulated our "efficient" police, the subscriber, at Bush Hill, near Alexandria, as and several arrests have already been made.

THE PATROLS are rendering a double service to the city, as they not only arrest disorderly persons, but give valuable informaary goard and uniformed police. - Washing-

season should fail to look at these before purchasing elsewhere, as there is not such an assort-ment this side of New York. The Carriages are TOTICE -At the late meeting of the Direcall warranted, and the prices correspond with tory of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad Company, it was ordered. "That the regu-lations of the Company respecting free travel, be Also, on hand a number of GOOD SECOND. HAND CARRIAGES, some nearly new, and authority from the Company, will be considered sufficient cause for the removal of the Conduc-No. 409, Pennsylvania Avenue, cor. of 42 sts. ap 13-1w

DISSOLUTION .- JAMES J HUNTON has this day retired from all interest in the TABLE & HUNTON. The Virginia property is still held jointly by

he late firm of Bastable & Hunton. The CATTLE BUSINESS in Baltimore will hereafter be conducted by G. M. BASTABLE, en his own account, who will settle the business of the old firm. G. M. BASTABLE, JAMES J. HUNTON. Baltimore, ap 15-dlm

TOHN MURPHY, ATTORNEY AT LAW, will practice in the Courts of Westmoreland, Richmond, and Northumberland Counties. Post Office, Rice's Store, Westmoreland County. der 5-tf

off Sandy Hook. The steamship Kangaroo had arrived out. The political news by the Africa is unimportant. The Atlantic cable was being taken on

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

Later From Europe.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMER AFRICA.

NEW YORK, April 16 .- The mail steamer

board the Niagara and Agamemnon very sea soundings and experiments are deemed necessary before the laying of the cable is being implicated in the commission of the no cause to doubt the ultimate success of the

Fears have increased in England for the safety of the African mail steamer Gambia, nearly one month overdue there.

The relations between France and Switzerland continue in an unsatisfactory state, and give rise to considerable uneasiness in diplomatic circles. The Paris Bourse had lost its buoyancy, and was daily declining.

Spain continues to send reinforcements into the Gulf of Mexico, and new measures for the public safety were organized at Madrid. The Bank of Holland had reduced its rate of discount to 34 per cent.

The Ottoman Porte is said to have rejected the demand of France for the authorization of a ship canal across the I-thmus of Suez. COMMERCIAL.-LIVERPOOL, April 3.-Sales of 6,500 on speculation, and 8,500 bales for export. The returns of the Postmaster of this city | Prices were considerably lower-inferior qualities having declined 1@2d., and middling 1@1d.; fair remaining unchanged. The market closed revenue of the office, for the past three dull generally, but holders were not pressingmonths, to have been \$1.345, and a falling fair Orleans 724., middling Orleans 624.; fair middling 61d. (The market was closed from the 1st to the 5th, for the holidays.) Manchester market duli. At Havre, N. O. tres ordinaire was quoted at 102 francs.

Breadstuffs were dull, as were Provisions .-Lard is firm, and slightly dearer. Consols 861 2862 for money. The £5,000,-

000 India loan was taken at an average of 98. Richardson, Spence & Co., report Breadstuffs but steady. Pork steady and Bacon duli-quotations easier, but nominally without variation. Lard firm, at 1s. advance-quoted at 50s.@52s. Rosin steady, at 4s. 3d @4s. 6d. Sugar dull, at 6d. decline. Coffee dull, inferior qualities rather lower, and quotations unchanged. Spirits of Turpentine firm at 44s. Rice heavy.

Lospon, April 3 -- Breadstuffs quiet, and all articles slightly declined. Sugar heavy, at 6d. @1s. Coffee steady, at 6d. decline. Spirits of Turpentine firm, and slightly easier. American securities dull. The Bullion in

Bank had declined £205,000.

Important from Venezuela. NEW YORK, April 16 .- Advices from Casaid they had deposited at the French legation one million in gold.

Gen. Castro had decreed the removal of all employees of the late Government. It is said the American Consul nailed his flag, in terest thereon from that date. conjunction with the flags of Spain, Denmark and Brazil, over the door of the French Consul, threatenig to haul it down and demand his passports if any attempt were be made upon any failure of the purchaser to made to arrest Monagas, (then at the lega- comply with the terms.

Remains of Col. Benton at St. Louis. Sr. Louis, April 16 .- Yesterday the remains of Col. Benton were exposed in state, propriately draped in morning. They were rites of sepulture took place this morning. benevolent societies, firemen, members of the city councils, and citizens generally. As a general thing business was suspended, the stores and houses were draped in mourning

Duel. NEW ORLEANS, April 15 .-- A duel took place near the city this morning, between Harry Deas and W. J. Kennedy, both of Mobile. The weapons were pistols carrying ounce balls; distance 15 paces. At the first fire Mr. Kennedy received a bad hip wound, River Turnpike road, and containing one hunbut hopes of recovery are entertained by

Yellow Fever. NEW YORK, April 16 .- The U. S. frigate Susquehanna has arrived at quarantine .-She has had 150 cases of yellow fever .-Eighty-five were left at Port Royal, Jamaica. There have been seventeen deaths.

The fever first made its appearance on board, March 19:b, while lying at Greytown. The ship immediately put to sea intending tion as to the efficiency of the present auxili- to proceed to Pensacola, but being short of coal and medical stores, put into Jamaica .--Before arrival at Kingston, the disease had become epidemic, and there were 155 cases. Six officers and 57 of the crew were placed in the hospitals at Kingston, where most rigidly carried out, and that the passing of any prompt and efficient efforts for their relief person free, without the exhibition of written were accorded by the British Naval and medical officers. Had been 17 deaths, including Lieut. Henry W. Queen; also Littleton Bayer, John Hodnett, Wm. J. Fongeray. of Phila.; Fred. Torndorf, Corporal Burns, CATTLE BUSINESS of the concern of BAS- Jas. Robinson, Geo. Gayger, C. H. Conway, Thos. Moran, Thos. C. Homes, J. W. Jones, Jas. Flynn. There are still forty cases on board, but mostly in a mild form.

> The Deluge Continues. NEW ORLEANS, April 16 .- The Crevasse still continues, notwithstanding efforts were dollars. made to stop it. Another rise is coming down the river.

SEGARS.—The undersigned has on hand and continues to manufacture SEGARS of most exquisite flavor, of the brands usually kept by Middleburg, Va., ap 13-eo2m

AUCTION SALES.

BY S. J. McCORMICK-Auctioneer. SALE THIS DAY. TOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNI-TURE AT AUCTION .- On Saturday morning next, 17th inst., at 10 o'clock, will be sold at the residence of the late Wm. Campbell, on Duke, between Pitt and St. Asaph streets, all his Household and Kitchen Furniture, consisting in part of Feather Beds, Badsteads, Chairs, Tables, Carpets, &c., &c.; also, a lot of CARPEN-Africa, from Liverpool, 3d tust., bas arrived

TER'S TOOLS. Terms at sale. JOHN T. JOHNSTON, Administrator

SALE THIS DAY. RUSTEE'S SALE .- By virtue of a deed of trust to the undersigned, from Silas J. Saunders and wife, dated August 1st, 1856, and re-corded in the office of the Clerk of the County rapidly, and the operation would be finished Court of Fairfax county, will be offered for sale, about the 10th of May. Some further deep on the premises, on the 17th day of April next, the TRACT OF LAND, in said county, called CRACKER HALL," with sundry other Tracts adjacent thereto, containing in the aggregate commenced; but the company have yet seen about 205 ACRES, all lying about three miles from Alexandria, on the south side of Hunting Creek, on the road leading from Alexandria to Mount Vernon.

There are good BUILDINGS on said property, ready for occupation. A further desription will be given hereafter.
TERMS.—One-fourth cash; the remainder in

equal payments, with interest, at 6, 12 and 18 months, respectively. Title reserved till the

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SHERIFF'S SALE OF THE SCHOON. SHERIFF'S SALE OF THE SCHOONon Monday, the 19th instant, at the whart occup ed by Samuel A. Masters, the Schr. "CHES-TER," to satisfy an execution in my hands in the name of Garrison & Co., vs. Geo. W. Harrison. Sale to take place at 12 o'clock. ap 14-dts C. M. CASTLEMAN, D. S.

UCTION HOUSE, No. 112, King STREET. A -We respectfully invite the attention of the citizens of Alexandria and country merchants, to our fresh and extensive stock of Cotton for the week, 50,000 bales-including BOOTS, SHOES, DRY GOODS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, JEWELRY, BROOMS, BUCKETS, CUTLERY, CLOCKS. TABLES, and a large assortment of FANCY GOODS too numerous to mention. We guarantee to sell our goods 30 per cent, less than any other house this side of Philadelphia. We buy our GOODS at New York auctions for cash, and we can afford to sell wholesale and retail at auction prices. All of the above GOODS will be sold to the highest bidder, for cash.

Sales EVERY EVENING during the week, com mencing at 71 o'clock, P. M. GOODS AT PRIVATE SALE, wholesale and retail, POISAL & STUMP. during the day. POISAL & STUMP.
TAYLOR & CO., Auctioneers, No. 112 King

street, next to Marshall House. ap 12 COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF LAND .- Under a decree of the Circuit Court of doun County, rendered at its October Term, 1857, in the suit of Green vs. Rose, we will sell quiet-there having been no market since the the following property at Public Sale, in front advices per City of Washington. Beef was dull, of the storehouse now occupied by J. S. Oden & Co., in Aldie, in the County of Loudoun, about noon, on Tuesday, the 20th day of April, 1858, a TRACT OF LAND in Prince William County, containing FORTY-EIGHT ACRES. Also, the entire interest of Israel Rose in another TRACT in Prince William County, containing FOUR HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVEN AND A

HALF ACRES. The said last named interest of Israel Rose being an undivided two-thirds of said 4273 acres, subject to the life estate of his mother,

Mrs. Mary Rose. The 48 acres and the 4274 acres adjoin each other, and formerly belonged to William Rose, the father of Israel Rose. The 48 acres are the same which were conveyed by said Wm. Rose and wife to Robt. Rose, and by him to said Israel Rose.

The 4271 acres are the same devised by said

William Rose to his wife for life, and then to raceas of the 31st of March, announce that his sons-and of which said Israel Rose now a provisional Government had been inaugu- owns an undivided two-thirds, subject to the rated, who demanded from the French Con- said life estate-and it is the same on which said Mary Rose has resided. It is situated in clemency will be interposed be- sul the surrender of Monagas and family, Prince William County, not far from Aldie, bewho had taken refuge with him. They were tween Aldie and Haymarket, and adjoins the surrendered, and are in confinement. It is lands of Samuel Simpson's heirs, and others. TERMS :- One-tenth of the purchase money of each shall be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the residue, in each case, shall b into three equal instalments-payable, one in six months, one in twelve months, and one in eighteen months from the day of sale, with in-

The purchaser shall give his bond with good personal security for the deferred instalments. The title shall be withheld as a further security, and a re-sale of the property in either case shall

JOHN M. ORR,) Comm'rs. M. HARRISON, of Sale. Loudoun county, Va., mh 23-eots

OFFER FOR SALE THE FARM upon which I now reside, containing ONE HUN-DRED AND FIFTY-NINE ACRES. This FARM offers great inducements to the purchaser, from its locality, being within one mile of visited by at least 25,060 persons. The final Orange Court House, and thereby brought in immediate connection by Railway with Richmond and Alexandria. It is beautifully situaand were participated in by the military and ted in one of the best neighborhoods in the State. The improvements are a comforta-ble DWELLING, and all other necessary

out-houses, fine fruit, &c , &c.
TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of the purchase money in hand, and the balance in one and two years. If not sold privately before, it will be offered at public auction, on the 1s: day of May,

at Orange Court House.
MARY M. WILLIAMSON. Orange Ct. House, mh 11-eutf

DUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE LAND. By virtue of a deed of trust, I will sell at public sale for cash, at Fairfax Court House, on Wednesday, the 17th day of May, (Court day,) a valuable tract of land situated about three and a half miles from Alexandria, on the Little dred and fifty-four and one fourth acres.—
The BUILDINGS on said place are new and substantial. About sixty acres are cleared, and the residue in fine timber. The said farm is within a mile of the Theological

Seminary and High School, and adjoins the land WM. H. DULANY, of James Cloud. Fairfax county, ap 10-eots Trustee YEGROES FOR SALE .- On Thursday, the 22nd instant, we shall offer at public auction, at the late residence of Lewis Edmonds, dec'd., near Paris, Fauquier County, Va., several

LIKELY SERVANTS, mostly boys. Terms cash. Sale at 11 o'clock.

A. H. SETTLE,
J. J. EDMONDS,
Admirs.

Fauquier County, Va., ap 8-eots JOHN T. JOHNSTON. BROUN & CO., MIDDLEBURG, VA., RE just receiving from New York, and other Eastern markets, their supply of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS. They ask of their friends an early call, be-

lieving their selection will be found very judicious-made greatly of the useful, and lightly of the uesless, embracing the late styles of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Dress Goods. A very fine selection of HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES and BONNETS.

A variety of FANCY GOODS, HARDWARE. QUEENS WARE, WOODEN WARE, TIN and STONE WARE. GROCERIES, Paints, Oils, Drugs, Bar Iron and

Steel, Plough Iron, Mould Boards, &c. Middleburg, Va., ap 12-eolm

SUPERIOR BLACK CLOTH FROCK COATS, worth twenty dollars, for fifteen

Superior BLACK CLOTH FROCK COATS. worth twenty-five dollars, for twenty dollars. Fine WHITE SHIRTS, with Marseilles bosoms, collars, and wristbands. Also, Gentle-

men's GAITERS—for sale by CUNNY BAGS .- A large lot of Gunny

E. C. BROUN. Bags, for sale by F. A. MARBURY, No. 9 King street,

on hand an assortment of Cooking and Parlor MERCER POTATOES -1200 bush prime Salem, Fauquier Co., Va., ap 13-eo3t STOVES, Parlor Grates, Sales, Refrigerators, BUSHELS WHITE MERCER PO- him, he has a large supply. Orders respectfulof her contracting. Water Coolers, Pumps, &c., together with all ap 16--31* GEO. W. J BELL. TATOES, for sale by
PERRY & PENNYBACKER. other articles usually kept in similar establish-CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES, for sale by [mh 15] H. I. GREGORY. anteed Bonds at \$85 and interest. JOHN OGDEN. Ly schburg Gas Company Stock at \$224 / ap 14